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you, I received one letter which excited my curiosity—shall I say my interest? But she was not a widow—widows are apt to be tricky. She was an unmarried lady of twenty-odd years, hailing from Boston, although much travel had made her rather cosmopolitan. A personal interview showed that she was ‘all my fancy painted her,’ and I was inclined to

"I had my doubts of the delicacy of any woman who would answer such an advertisement, but she confessed to so much shame at having yielded to the whim that I could not help but forgive her. Any man can forgive a charming woman an indiscretion, particularly when he is the cause of it; and I waited impatiently for a second interview. She told me that she was

engaged to a cousin, whom she detested; but family pride had forced her into it, and she dreaded the day when she must stand at the altar with him. I hated that cousin; I wished that I might meet him under circumstances that would give me half an excuse to knock him down. I revolved plans for breaking that engagement, and determined to discuss the subject with her at our second interview."

"Don't interrupt; it's impolite when I am talking, although necessary and excusable when you are holding forth. She sent an excuse the next day. To say I was disappointed is to put it very mildly; and I wrote her a note telling her how I longed to break the hated bonds that kept her from me. Yes, it was rather sudden, I know; but I really couldn't help it. She answered evasively, and I wrote again, urging her to see me. That's the way it went on. One day I was surprised to hear that my professional services were re-

"I should think it would be a surprise," remarked Mr. Carter. "Was it the fair Bostonian?"

"The messenger told me that Mrs. Gray wanted me to come at once, and of course I went. I had no thought of any thing but surprise at receiving such a summons from any one, and I had never heard of Mrs. Gray before. I reached the house, and was con-

"You urge me to break the bonds which bind me to another, and be united to you. That other is my husband," she said, in a low voice; "what

ous and straitlaced maiden aunt would say to your making love to a married woman?"

"But you told me—" I began, and I couldn't get any farther. She laughed, and put out her hand to me.

"You're a foolish boy," she said, "and I forgive you for it. I suppose you really couldn't help falling in love with me; but the letters that you have written would shock your respected relative dreadfully. Wouldn't they, now?"

"I stammered something about her betrothed, but she laughed again; and I remembered that the expression I

"I looked at her in astonishment. The pin was a valuable stone, a gift from my aunt last Christmas; and the proposition seemed preposterous. She was in earnest, however, and finally I made the trade. I really could not afford to have my aunt get possession of those letters, with any such interpretation attached to them."

"But, you said you were in love with

"And so I was," replied Dr. Raymond, coolly; "but I'm not quite so much so, now. Did you have an idea that you were the only individual that could indulge in buying up his own letters?"

"Well, it strikes me that we have both been done," remarked the lawyer, contemptively.

"By the way, what did your divinity look like?" inquired Raymond, a sudden suspicion crossing his mind.

"This," was the laconic reply, as

"We've both been done," returned the physician, reverting to his friend's first question. "I was galled at the photograph; "and, by George! it's the same woman that's done it."

"Did you ever hear of going out for wool and coming back shorn?" was Mr. Carter's inquiry, after the pair had expressed their feelings rather more freely than I like to record.

"Yes, I've heard of it, but I never want to hear of this particular instance again," was the answer; and the tone was by no means lamb-like, although the speaker may have felt sheepish.

mond could afford to violate the confidence which the other had reposed in him, and they continued to manifest the same flattering regard for each other. The Kentucky widow, *alias* the traveled Bostonian, was not given to telling all she knew, and never whispered to any one how she came into possession of that two hundred dollars and a diamond pin. How, then, did the present chronicler get possession of the facts? A good story is suggestive. This one suggests that question.—Miriam K. Davis, in *Demorest's Monthly*.

Julian Hawthorne states in a recent article that the number of persons engaged in literary work in the United States can not be far short of 50,000.

This image shows a vertical cross-section of a book's binding. On the right side, there is a dark, textured material, likely the book's cover or a binding strip, which appears worn and slightly irregular. To the left of this dark strip is a lighter, off-white or cream-colored surface, which could be the inner binding or the edge of a page. The overall appearance is that of an old or well-used volume.

The Canal of Joseph.

How many of the engineering works of the nineteenth century will there be in existence in the year 2000? Very few, we fear, and still fewer those that will continue in that far-off age to serve a useful purpose. Yet there is at least one great undertaking, conceived and executed by an engineer, which during the space of 4000 years has never ceased its office, and on which the life of a fertile province absolutely depends to-day. We refer to the Bahi Jousant—the canal of Joseph—built, according to tradition, by the son of Jacob, and which constitutes not the least of the many blessings be conferred on Egypt during the years of his prosperous rule. This canal took its rise from the Nile at Asut, and ran nearly parallel with it nearly 250 miles, creeping along under the western cliffs of the Nile Valley with many a bend and winding, until at length it gained an eminence, as compared with the river-bank, which enabled it to turn westward through a narrow pass and enter a district which was otherwise shut off from the fertilizing floods on which all vegetation in Egypt depends.

The northern and stood seventeen feet above the Nile, while at the southern end it was at an equal elevation with the river. Through this cut ran a perennial stream which watered a province named the Fayoum, endowing it with fertility and supporting a large population. In the time of the annual flood a great part of the canal was under water and then the river's current would rush in a more direct course into the pass, carrying with it the rich silt which takes the place of manure and keeps the soil in a state of constant productivity.

The Hot-Bed Sash.

Those living in the close neighborhood of the city have some excuse that they have no need for hotbeds to advance crops ahead of the usual time, as everything is brought to their doors. But the farmer, and those not so accessible, or who have not the money to pay out daily for everything that may be in the market, had better make use of this old-fashioned help to the gardener—the hot-bed. There are very few vegetables that will stand days of travel and exposure, and be as a city as those grown on one's own grounds or in one's own neighborhood. They answer a good purpose for the nation, and to those who know no better, are satisfying; but those who have the facilities to grow something of their own, or who live away from the general market, may, if they so elect, have something better.

In the South, the hot-bed time will be at hand; it will gradually travel North, and be in time when it does come, those who have hot-beds should paint up and get ready. Those who propose to begin their use should be looking out for ways and means. The sash part is now very cheaply made by manufacturers; the box itself any handy man can make. The only other article wanted for a starter is the horse-manneur for heat. A couple of shales can be made to grow a large quantity of things, such as early cabbage, lettuce, cauliflower, tomatoes, egg plant and peppers. Room should be left to propagate a few slips from the window plants for the flower garden in summer; and there should be a sowing of the choicer kinds of flower seeds for the same purpose.

Wise Words.

Every bee's honey is sweet. The house showeth its owner. Anger at a feast betrays the boor. New truths are merely old ones with the cobwebs brushed off. The gratitude of place-expectants is a lively sense of future favors. It is no comfort to be told we are free to follow the advice of others. Man is a noble animal, splendid in ashes and pompous in the grave. Affliction may one day smile again; and till then, sit thee down to sorrow. Thelless we know what is in store for us, the more contented we will be. Walk the path of advice carefully for deception will be met at every step. If a man has the toothache, he cannot imagine how a man feels without it. Those who advocate the virtue of yielding are benefitted by the process. To be popular a person must possess the talent of disguising his character. A dwarf sees farther than a giant when he has the giant's shoulders to mount on. To express an opinion because some one else had previously expressed it, is like thinking a man for the privilege of earning a living for him. The reason some people are afraid of others will make talk of one of their liberty, is because they want to monopolize their own, and enjoy besides, all they can deprive others of.

How to Work.

Do not lay out for yourself for any day, or week, or month, more than you can accomplish. Do what you suppose, or ascertain that it cannot be done, and dismiss it, and turn to the next best thing, finishing as you go. Take first in hand the things which should be done, and let those which may be done come after.

There are two opposite precepts in the philosophy of common life which dispute for precedence. One is, "don't put off till to-morrow what can be done to-day," and the other, "don't do to-day what can be delayed till to-morrow." To these contradictory the same direction may be applied. Having decided on your day's work, if it is a part of a continuous occupation, fix as definitely as possible on a good place to stop, and having ceased work, cease worry. Leave to to-morrow, and your day's work will furnish you with a congenial draught better than poppy or mandragora. Complete whatever can be completed, and mentally post your books.

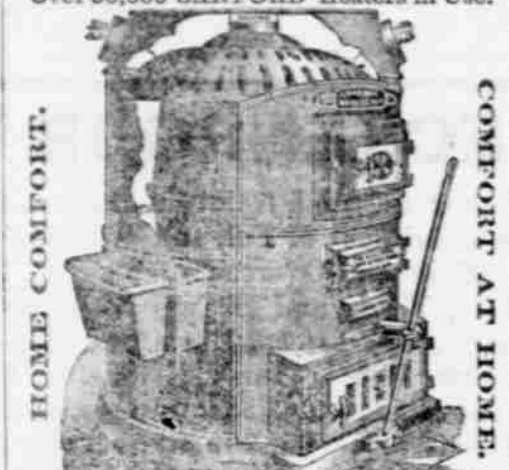
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I saw Mr. Pinkerton, who tells me that every fifteen minutes each clock placed in the Vanderbilt tomb is visited by a Pinkerton detective, two of whom are constantly on guard. One of these detective patrols outside the tomb, while the other is locked in post, sitting behind the other bars with a loaded repeating rifle across his knee ready for constant use. It would be next to impossible for any robber to get away with the remains of William H. Vanderbilt so long as the tomb is protected as it is now. The Pinkerton men are hired by the year, and there is quite a little colony of them established on Staten Island, very near the mausoleum. They keep eight or ten there all the time, so that those on duty at the grave are retired at frequent intervals, and are, therefore, not liable to fall asleep at their post.

Answer This Question.

Why do so many people see around us seem to prefer to suffer and be made miserable by indigestion, constipation, dyspepsia, and all the other ailments of the system, when they will sell their Shiloh's System Viator guaranteed to cure them. Sold by Dr. T. J. Davidson.

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Africa, has been, on favorable terms for a century to the German Evangelical Mission Society of East Africa, parcels of land on which to build a church and hospital.

Slender.

Nothing is more common in society than a repetition of a conversation and the comments made by one's friend on another. Nothing is more common than the repetition of the commentary, meant to be good natured, on an absent friend, made with all the sugar left out. Sometimes the very change of an account or a word may constitute a perfectly innocent remark into an attack. This is bearing "false witness;" it is the unpardonable sin, for while such a person is keeping within the limits of truth, she is really conveying a lie.

Such are the most dangerous slanderers, the sweet-voiced, smiling people, who carry a rattlesnake in their bosoms, a hidden danger in their tongues. It is not easy to tell the unvarnished truth, as every lawyer will assure you. Those who are in the habit of taking evidence find what a shilly shally thing human observation is to start with, and again, what a treacherous language! The faculties vary. Then the mind of some good men and good women is absolutely without an intellectual perception of the truth. We have known some men and women, excellent moral characters, who never told the truth in their lives. They do not know how.

Therefore, the habit of making a statement favorably or prejudicial to character does with such people, depend on the charitable or malicious feeling of the moment. We are innocent while we absorb scandal, while we sit silently and hear our friends abused? Should we not soften down the rumor, disbelieve half of it, give the unfortunate the benefit of a doubt?

Would it not be the safest excess, therefore, to always say of everybody, behind their backs exactly what we would say to their faces. "If you would with perfection speak. Five things observe with care. To whom you speak, of whom you speak. And when and how, and where."

Distinguished Old Maids.

Look at the list of old maids. Elizabeth of England, one of the most illustrious of modern sovereigns. Her rule over Great Britain comprised the most brilliant literary age of the English speaking people. Her political career was put to as severe tests as that of any other ruler the world ever saw. Maria Edgeworth, poet and playwright, was "one of 'em." Florence Nightingale, most gracious lady, heroine of Islermann and Balaklava hospitals, has, to the present, written "Miss" before her name. The man who should marry her might well crave to take the name of Nightingale. Sister Dora, the brave spirit of English pest houses, whose story is as a helpful evangel, was the bride of the world's sorrow only. And then, what names could the writer and the reader add of those whom the great world may not know, but we know, and these little world of the village, the church, the family know and prize beyond all words.

A Woman's Plan for Dinner.

A notable little housewife whom I once knew, and who never asks what she shall have for dinner, once told me her plan. She said: "I can't trust my servant. I won't bother my husband. I won't take the time to study it over every day. So I make out a list every two weeks of fourteen breakfasts and dinners ahead. I try to avoid too frequent repetitions, and it isn't very hard to do that. I don't make out a regular bill of fare, but just put down one or two of the principal dishes and the dessert."

Then at the end of the two weeks I begin over again.

I don't make just the same list over again, and I don't stick too my program too closely. I do my own buying, and I know pretty well what is new in the markets, and if I want to change the dinners I do it. And after the first list is made out it is easy enough to write out the next one.

By doing my own buying I serve three purposes.

I keep posted on the markets, I get exercise, and I save money. I never buy a grocer's or a butcher's bill. If I have not enough money to buy what I want, I go without.

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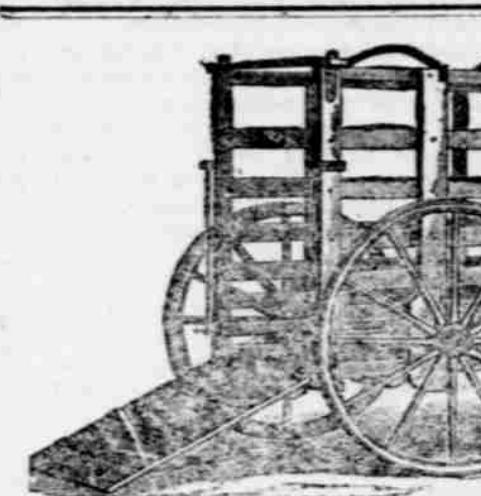
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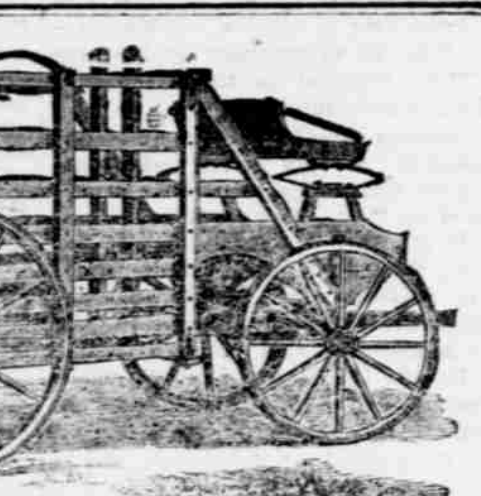
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Be Kind to the Boys.

There is something appalling in the sight of a boy, and no one with the right sort of feeling look at one without pity. Boys are always getting into trouble, disgrace and danger. Pity usually ends with the boy's mother and grandmother; they feel for him, no matter what happens. But, father, grandfather, aunts and uncles consider him a good-for-nothing young nuisance, who doesn't get half the whippings he deserves. When he falls into calamity or disgrace they are ready to exclaim: "I didn't expect anything else!"

For little men, with all the great howling wilderness of life ahead and none to fight their way for them! Who cares that their growing bones and hearts pain them for lack of words of sympathy. They are called lazy when they are ill, and nobody but mother takes the trouble to inquire into their bad feelings.

Sometimes a terrible accident swoops down upon the boy. He is accidentally shot, or gets drowned, or in some other way meets his fate. Then it is revealed to those who never gave him a pleasant look or word that possibly they have been unkind. But years of unavailing sorrow and regret cannot undo the past. The pale face of the dead boy, who was driven like a dumb beast from place to place, will surely haunt the ones who have been his persecutors.

Take it home, you who have boys to whom no word of kind encouragement is ever given. Somewhere in the country boys are being brought home every day, all their little cares and troubles over for all time. Then comes the regret and heart break that never can be cured.

By this I do not wish to excuse the worthless and perversity of many boys, or to imply that there are no fathers with tender, affectionate hearts; but I desire to touch a few who never lean to the side of charity in their dealings with the boys.

The Sewing Machine.

There is hardly any piece of household machinery which is capable of causing so much vexation as the sewing machine. The ingenious and indispensable mechanism, like most other things, is docile and tractable when in the hands of one who understands it. Not long since a Philadelphia essayed to adjust his wife's sewing machine. In a short time he became exceedingly interested in his work; then, by the usual and rational changes, he passed to agitation, disgust and a towering rage, closing with a grand demonstration of vigorous strokes that instantly reduced the sewing machine.

When any machine of the mechanism fails to respond correctly, it is usually from some very trifling cause, and the first endeavor should be to find out exactly what is the matter. To become a master in the art of repairing sewing machines, it is requisite to understand the principles upon which the stitch is formed and the work fed. Very little manual skill is really needed. The breaking of thread or needles and the skipping of stitches are due, nine times out of ten, to the loosening of some screw, allowing some part to become slightly displaced.

If your machine breaks the thread, first examine the broken end to determine whether it is cut or torn. Then measure the end down from the take-up, and you will discover at what point in the revolution the trouble occurred. Turn the wheel slowly, and watch the thread pass around the shuttle at the point where the accident occurred. Many times a machine can be persuaded to return to good behavior by simply taking out the needle and shuttle and giving it a little cleaning and oiling, without disturbing any part of the adjustment.

Tying on Ladies Shoes.

"Talking about trying on ladies shoes," said a clerk in a prominent shoe store. "It is one of the most delicate and arduous that fall to the lot of a salesman. Why the most innocent remark may be construed into affront, and the clerk find himself called to account. Have you ever noticed that a boot and shoe man does very little talking?"

"Do you mean in selling goods?"

"Yes. Some years ago a clerk in a New Orleans shoe store lost his life for paying a lady a compliment about the size of her foot."

"Are Detroit ladies as sensitive on the subject?"

"It requires very nice discrimination to know when to pay a lady a compliment on the size of her foot. We have some ladies come here who possess remarkably beautiful feet, and it would be worth my place if I made any remark about them. Then—others—just as fastidious in all respects—will expect a little well-directed flattery; in fact, will challenge it by deprecating their feet. Then some ladies will not allow us to put their boots on while others will treat us exactly as if we were foot stools or books!"

"Are ladies hard to please?"

"Well I should just say so. Their feet are so tender they want to wear a loose shoe, and the always buy a tight one. Then they always try them sitting down, and it is the hardest work to get them to stand up and step around. Sometimes I am nearly distracted trying to get a good fit, and one that will not have to be returned. But ladies are more sensible now about their shoes than they used to be. They wear the common sense and low heels, and have more comfort."

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